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		Yes	Inclusion of expectations for pan flu epidemic and other mass disasters, including weather-related.
		Unsure	
		Yes	
Androscoggin	Auburn	Yes	
Androscoggin	Lisbon	Yes	Some functions are overlapping, but sometimes need two perspectives, such as rabies - it the ACO's responsibility for the animal the the LHOs responsibility for the humans. It's important to work in concert with the other members of the team.
Androscoggin	Livermore	Yes	Work with PHWG more than is currently in place. Have ongoing dialog between CEOs and ACOs.
Androscoggin	Livermore Falls	Yes	
Androscoggin	Mechanic Falls	Unsure	
Androscoggin	Turner	Yes	I see nowhere that the LHO has to be certified and get required training to keep up that certification like the CEO and LPI have to do. The updated statute should reflect this.
Androscoggin	Wales	Yes	Need more support system! Any calls I go out on are minor; if not, refer to DHHS/ACO/CEO. Small town - very seldom see follow-through!
Aroostook	Bancroft	Unsure	
Aroostook	Bridgewater	Yes	
Aroostook	Caribou	Yes	
Aroostook	Castle Hill/Chapman/Mapleton		
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Aroostook	Cyr Plantation	Yes	
Aroostook	Garfield Plantation		Do not have an LHO; no need for one.
Aroostook	Island Falls	Yes	
Aroostook	Littleton	Yes	
Aroostook	Madawaska	Yes	
Aroostook	Mapleton/Castle Hill/Chapman	Yes	
Aroostook	Masardis	Yes	
Aroostook	New Sweden	Yes	

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Aroostook	Portage Lake	Yes	Make clear the process utilized in gaining compliance. Make very clear a minimum fine and per day occurrence. Make all related laws capable of having fines attached to property as special taxes as in Title 17 - Dangerous Buildings.
Aroostook	Presque Isle	Yes	
Aroostook	Reed Plantation	Yes	
Aroostook	St. Agatha	Yes	
Aroostook	Van Buren	Yes	
Aroostook	Weston	Unsure	
Cumberland	Bridgton	Yes	Please leave bureaucracy out as much as possible. This seems to slow down the process of change. Keep lines of communication open and accessible (KISS).
Cumberland	Brunswick	Unsure	
Cumberland	Cape Elizabeth	Yes	
Cumberland	Harpswell	Yes	
Cumberland	Scarborough	Yes	
Cumberland	Standish	Yes	
Cumberland	Yarmouth	Unsure	The LHO statutes at present cover a broad area of complaint issues (a catch-all). The LHO, if reached by a member of the community, can assign appropriate cases to the town person capable of dealing with the problem, e.g. dog issues to the ACO and plumbin
Franklin		No	
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Franklin	Carrabassett Valley	Yes	
Franklin	Coplin Plantation		
Franklin	Phillips	Yes	
Franklin	Rangeley	Unsure	
Franklin	Sandy River Plantation	Yes	
Franklin	Wilton	Yes	Involve public health committee of Maine Medical Association.
Hancock	Blue Hill/Penobscot	Yes	I think it is important to have everyone on the same page. There seems to be a lack of communication between towns and state agencies; also the county agencies.
Hancock	Brooklin		No LHO - contact would be Robert Tapley, Chairmab, Board of Selectmen.

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Hancock	Bucksport	Yes	Work with Healthy Communities Coalitions and keep up-to-date with their goals and objectives; attend their meetings as needed. I definitely feel we must work together.
Hancock	Cranberry Isles	Yes	
Hancock	Deer Isle	Yes	
Hancock	Ellsworth	Yes	Training through the State Planning Office on homeland security.
Hancock	Franklin	Unsure	Franklin does not have a LHO at this time.
Hancock	Mt. Desert	Yes	
Kennebec			No LHO.
Kennebec	Augusta	Yes	
Kennebec	Belgrade	Yes	I would prefer "prevention and early intervention" rather than CONTROLLING (sounds dictatorial).
Kennebec	Hallowell	Yes	
Kennebec	Pittston	Yes	1) Have a standard certification requirement. 2) Focus on public health emergency preparedness. 3) Set up a direct network with school nurses (schools are used as shelters), hospitals, nurse epidemiologists. 4) Outline duties and enforcement capabilities
Kennebec	Readfield	Unsure	
Kennebec	West Gardiner	Yes	Form a study committee to look into the possible changes.
Kennebec	Windsor	Yes	
Knox	Camden	Yes	Remove infectious disease reporting from duties.
Knox	Friendship	Yes	
Knox	Hope	Yes	
Knox	Washington	Yes	I like the proposed changes as listed above. Overlapping functions create confusion.
Lincoln	Waldoboro	Yes	Make sure focus is very narrow!
Oxford	Buckfield	Yes	
Oxford	Greenwood/Hanover/Woodstock		
Oxford	Hanover/Greenwood/Woodstock	Yes	
Oxford	Hartford	Yes	I really don't know what my function is or legal issues. We are a small town, about 1,000 people. I am also the CEO. In some cases, I see dwellings and areas that are not exactly healthy. As CEO, I am restricted as to what I can do.
Oxford	Hiram	Yes	
Oxford	Lincoln Plantation	Yes	
Oxford	Newry	Unsure	
Oxford	Peru	Yes	
Oxford	Roxbury	Yes	

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Oxford	Woodstock/Hanover/Greenwood		
Penobscot	Alton		No LHO - contact would be town clerk (Kelly Brown).
Penobscot	Bangor	Yes	Move non-medical functions of LHO to CEOs who are already handling most of the issues of an environmental health nature.
Penobscot	Dexter	Yes	First meet with other agencies in Dexter to get their input.
Penobscot	Dixmont	Yes	
Penobscot	East Millinocket/Medway/Woodville/Millinocket		
Penobscot	Garland	Yes	
Penobscot	Glenburn		Maybe some word smithing, i.e. 22 MRSA 454 ties "public health threat" to "communicable disease". Whereas "nuisances" is neither defined nor referenced for definition. The "Subsurface Waste Water Disposal Rules" define "nuisance" as "Any source of filth,
Penobscot	Hampden		
Penobscot	Lakeville	Yes	
Penobscot	Levant	Yes	
Penobscot	Medway/Millinocket/East Millinocket/Woodville		
Penobscot	Millinocket/East Millinocket/Medway/Woodville	Yes	
Penobscot	Old Town	Yes	
Penobscot	Winn		No LHO - contact would be town clerk (Patricia Hussey).
Penobscot	Woodville/Millinocket/East Millinocket/Medway		
Penobscot	Wytovitlock	Unsure	
Piscataquis	Harmony	No	
Piscataquis	Sangerville	Unsure	Need clear paths of contact and assistance, both county and state level. Relates mostly to small towns.

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Piscataquis	Shirley	Yes	
Piscataquis	Willimantic	Yes	
Sagadahoc	Bath		
Sagadahoc	Richmond	Yes	Require credits or a license for LHOs and continuing education credits to keep license. Definitions of all the above types of health problems.
Sagadahoc	West Bath	Yes	
Sagadahoc	Woolwich	Yes	Give the LHO more power through statutes from the state and federal government. And have a much better contact with the LHO. Everything that comes to city & town should come through the LHO first.
Somerset	Anson/Madison/Norridgewock		
Somerset	Canaan	Yes	
Somerset	Jackman	Yes	
Somerset	Madison/Anson/Norridgewock	Yes	Provide the training to allow us to do the job correctly. Laws are spread out - should be consolidated. Classes on specific issues that we can and will work with.
Somerset	Moscow	Yes	
Somerset	Norridgewock/Anson		
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Somerset	North Anson	Yes	
Somerset	Pittsfield	Yes	Provide specific "person" for us to call with questions.
Somerset	Smithfield	Yes	Remove any redundancy - Have agencies/officers work together to remove
Waldo	Brooks	Yes	LHOs should be included with responsibility of CEO.
Waldo	Burnham	Yes	
Waldo	Frankfort	Yes	It sounds like your off to a great start. I wish the position was an active part of the Maine health care system. I have not studied all of the issues, but have a passion for public health.
Waldo	Freedom	Yes	
Waldo	Knox	Yes	
Waldo	Lincolntonville	Yes	
Waldo	Palermo	Yes	Eliminate some functions, update statutes, training for LHOs at a local level. State funding for LHOs and state-funded training.
Waldo	Troy	Unsure	
Waldo	Winterport	Yes	
Waldo	Searsport	Yes	More training for LHO's.
Washington			
Washington	Addison	Yes	
Washington	Calais		
Washington	Danforth		

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Washington	East Machias	Yes	
Washington	Machiasport	Yes	
Washington	Whitneyville	Unsure	
Washington	Topsfield	Unsure	
York	Arundel	Yes	I was just given this position last month. As the full-time firefighter/EMT, the town manager thought I would be the best fit for this position. However, I have no training in this position, so at this time I have little to contribute to expanding this system.
York	Buxton		No LHO currently.
York	Dayton	Yes	
York	Hollis	Yes	Is LHO one of authority or one of informational dissemination and education?
York	Kennebunkport	Yes	
York	Limington	Yes	Monthly meetings. More inservices, with more times and places to attend. More references, numbers and names of other LHOs to contact. Sorry I missed your survey in June, I seriously don't remember seeing it! I would have gladly filled it out - darn!
York	Ogunquit	Unsure	
York	Old Orchard Beach	Yes	Establish professional standards for LHOs.
York	Waterboro	Unsure	